(c) whether Government propose to telecast this film on the National hook-up in the near future; and

(d) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) to (d) A full-length colour documentary on the Asian Games entitled "Asiad '82" was completed by Films Division in August, 1983. The duration of this documentary is 160 minutes. Apart from this full-length film, Films Division has also produced five short films of about 20 minutes duration each under the title of "Asiad '82" (Part 1, Part 2, Part 3, Part 4 & Part 5).

The five short documentary films have already been released. Prints of these films have also been supplied to the Directorate of Field Publicity Units as well as State Governments.

Films Division functions on commercial lines. It has, therefore, initiated action for exploitation of the full-length film "Asiad '82", including its telecast abroad. Such a long film cannot be shown by Films Division in cinema houses under the Compulsory Exhibition Scheme. It has to be released as an independent full-length film commercially. Its telecast has to be considered in the context of its commercial release.

Hindi Plays and Foreign Films on Delhi Doordarshan

54. SHRI M. BASAVARAJU: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) what are the reasons for which Delhi Doordarshan has started telecasting Hindi plays on every 1st, 3rd and 5th Saturdays when Hindi plays are already being telecast every Tuesday;

(b) whether Government propose telecast foreign feature films on all the Saturdays for the benefit of multilingual viewers of Delhi; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) The time slot on Tuesdays (now on Mondays) is limited for one hour and does not permit telecast of plays of longer duration. On Saturdays, Hindi plays of longer duration are being telecast. The total number of plays has been increased to make programmes more interesting and entertaining.

(b) and (c) Foreign feature films, will be telecast on 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month.

Live Telecast of Los Angeles Olympics over Doordarshan

55. SHRI SURESH KALMADI:
SHRI S. W. DHABE:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have made arrangements for direct telecasting of the Los Angeles Olympics over Doordarshan; and

(b) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) Subject to the availability of Satellite facilities, Doordarshan proposes to provide direct telecast of the Opening Ceremony on 29th July, 1984 of the Los Angeles

Olympics games. In addition, Doordarshan has made arrangements to telecast recorded highlights daily between 29th July and 13th August, 1984.

(b) does not arise.

पटना सर्किल में टेलीफोन के गलत बिलों से संबंधित शिकायतें

56. श्री राम भगत पासवान :
डा० रुद्र प्रताप सिंह :

क्या **संचार** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) जनवरी, 1981 से जून, 1984 तक की अवधि के दौरान बिहार के पटना सर्किल में टेलीफोनों के संबंध में गलत बिल बनाये जाने और अधिक राशि वसूल किये जाने के विरुद्ध आम जनता से टेलीफोन प्राधिकारियों को कितनी शिकायतें प्राप्त हुईं ; और

(ख) इनमें से कितने मामलों में कार्यवाही पूरी हो गई है, कितने मामलों में शिकायतकर्ताओं को धनराशि वापस की गई है, कितने मामलों में अधिकारियों को कदाचारों तथा भ्रष्टाचार में संलग्न होने का दोषी पाया गया है और उनके विरुद्ध क्या कार्यवाही की गई है ?

संचार मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री वी० एन० गाडगील) : (क) और (ख) संबंधित यूनिट से जानकारी एकत्र की जा रही है और यथाशीघ्र उसे सभा पटल पर रख दिया जाएगा ।

Exploration of new coal mines

57. SHRI JAGADISH JANI: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have a proposal to explore some new coal mines during 1984-85;

(b) if so, what is the number of new coal mines proposed to be explored in Orissa; and

(c) the details of the programme of the Government to explore new coal mines for increasing the production of coal in the State of Orissa during the Seventh Five Year Plan period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COAL IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Exploration in 1984-85:

(1) IB Valley Coalfields of Western Coalfields Ltd.

(i) Gopalpur Block

(ii) Belapahar Block

(iii) Talabira Block

(iv) North West Blocks of Mine No. 4 Orient.

(2) Talcher Coalfields of Central Coalfields Ltd.

(i) Ananta Opencast Mine

(ii) Kalinga Opencast Mine (exploration completed)

(c) The details of the programme of exploration for the Seventh Five Year Plan period has not yet been finalised.

Problems faced by the coal industry

58. SHRI JAGADISH JANI: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the various problems faced by the coal industry in the country at present;

(b) if so, what are the irregularities in coal industry which have come to the notice of Government; and

(c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken by Government for an early solution of those shortcomings?